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Monroe County District Attorney's Office Brings Holiday Smiles to Kids

Rochester, NY- Today, the Monroe County District Attorney's Office teamed up with Santa to bring gifts and Holiday cheer to the students at Rochester School #5. Each year, the kindergarteners at School #5, located on the corner of Plymouth Avenue and Jay Street, fill out wish lists for Santa's annual visit to their classroom, which are then delivered to his many helpers at the Monroe County District Attorney's Office. Members of the DA's staff, including District Attorney Doorley herself, then adopt a student and work to ensure that the items on the student's list find their way into Santa's bag for his visit to the school each year.

Santa, along with many of his fans from the DA's Office, will make his appearance at the school today between noon and 2pm. Kyle Steinbach, a senior prosecutor from the Office's Major Felony Bureau, will stand in for Mr. Kringle, who is very busy this time of year.

"I'm very proud to say that our office participates in many events like this each year, but this is the one that many of us look forward to the most," said Sandra Doorley. "Nothing can compare to the looks on the kid's faces when Santa not only arrives in their classroom, but arrives with the very things that they asked for. As happy as they always are, I can almost guarantee it makes us happier."

The Monroe County District Attorney's Office has many similar programs with local schools and charities, including major support of the Rochester Boys & Girls Club and the Pencil Partners Program with Rochester School #9. This is the seventh year that the District Attorney's Office has supported Santa's efforts at Rochester School #5.

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